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1	<u>PROCEEDINGS</u>
2	(9:00 a.m.)
3	JUDGE STEINBERG: We are on the record now.
4	Ms. Lancaster, please call your next witness.
5	MS. LANCASTER: Your Honor, we call Mr. Thomas
6	Lewis, and Mr. Knowles-Kellett will be questioning Mr.
7	Lewis.
8	JUDGE STEINBERG: Okay. Would you please stand,
9	Mr. Lewis, and raise your right hand?
10	Whereupon,
11	THOMAS LEWIS
12	having been duly sworn, was called as a witness
13	and was examined and testified as follows:
14	JUDGE STEINBERG: Please be seated. Thank you.
15	THE REPORTER: Mr. Lewis, could you please pull
16	the mike rather close to you? Thank you.
17	DIRECT EXAMINATION
18	BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
19	Q Good morning, Mr. Lewis. My name is Bill Knowles
20	Kellett, and I'll be asking you some questions today.
21	We're here in an FCC proceeding involving FCC
22	licenses held by Ronald Brasher and others. Are you
23	familiar with this?
24	A Right.
25	Q Okay. Do you recall having your deposition done
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- 1 in November?
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Why don't you get the witness'
- 3 name and address on the record first?
- 4 MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Okay.
- 5 BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 6 Q Please state your full name and address for the
- 7 record.
- 8 A Thomas Roscoe Lewis. Address, 2760 Rains County
- 9 Road 2400, Emory, Texas.
- 10 Q Okay. What is your home phone number?
- 11 A (903) 473-0039.
- 12 Q And where are you employed?
- 13 A Metroplex Two Way Radio.
- 14 Q Okay. And where is Metroplex Two Way Radio?
- 15 A That's in Dallas, Texas.
- 16 Q Okay. How long have you worked at Metroplex?
- 17 A Approximately around seven years.
- 18 Q Okay. Do you recall having your deposition done
- in November?
- 20 A Yes, I do.
- 21 O Okay. So the same rules we talked about there
- 22 apply here. You have to give verbal responses because the
- 23 court reporter is taking it all down.
- 24 A Right.
- 25 Q Okay. Now, What do you do for Metroplex Two Way

- 1 Radio?
- 2 A I service the DART vehicles in Dallas.
- 3 Q Okay. What is DART?
- 4 A DART is Dallas Rapid Transit system.
- 5 Q Okay. Who is your supervisor?
- 6 A Keith Krohn.
- 7 Q Okay. And what is his title?
- 8 A I believe he is the shop supervisor, I guess.
- 9 That's what I'd call him.
- 10 Q Okay. What is your title?
- 11 A I'm a tech.
- 12 Q Okay. How many hours a week do you work?
- 13 A Forty hours a week.
- 14 O Okay. Are you related to -- okay. Who are the
- 15 officers of DLB?
- 16 A David and Diane Brasher.
- 17 Q Okay. Are you aware that Ronald and Patricia are
- 18 officers as well?
- 19 A I believe they're supposed to be the president and
- 20 vice-president.
- 21 Q Okay. Are you related to those people?
- 22 A Yes, I am.
- 23 Q Could you please --
- 24 THE REPORTER: Excuse me for interrupting. I am
- 25 sorry. It is very important to wait until the questions are

- 1 completed before you answer because I'm taping it, and it
- 2 overlaps.
- 3 THE WITNESS: Yes, sir.
- 4 THE REPORTER: Thank you.
- 5 BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 6 Q Okay. Could you explain the family relationship?
- 7 A Ronald is my brother-in-law, Patsy is my sister,
- 8 David is my nephew and his wife.
- 9 Q Okay. Okay. I'd like you to turn, if you would,
- in the book to Exhibit 65.
- 11 A Okay. To what page?
- 12 Q To Tab 65. Take a minute and look at that
- document. See if you recognize it. My question is do you
- 14 recognize it?
- 15 A It looks like the paperwork I signed for the
- 16 license.
- 17 Q Okay. When you say paperwork I signed for the
- 18 license, what type of license do you hold?
- 19 A A 900.
- Q A 900 megahertz license?
- 21 A Right.
- Q And do you know what that license authorizes?
- A No, not right offhand I don't.
- Q Okay. Do you see on the second page it says
- 25 Thomas Lewis, d/b/a Lewis Wrecking Service at the top?

- 1 A Yes. Here it is. I found it.
- Q Okay. And is that your address?
- 3 A That's my old address. They've changed the
- 4 address since then.
- 5 Q Okay. When did you change addresses?
- 6 A They changed it last year. They went so everybody
- 7 could be found.
- 8 Q Okay.
- 9 A On these route numbers you can't be found. They
- don't hold you to a street number, so they put you a street
- 11 number on the new addresses.
- 12 Q Okay. When you say they, you mean the U.S. Postal
- 13 Service --
- 14 A Yes, the Postal Service.
- 15 Q -- changed addresses?
- 16 JUDGE STEINBERG: It's hard to get your mail if
- 17 they can't find you.
- 18 THE WITNESS: That's right.
- 19 BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 20 Q Okay. And Lewis Wrecking Service? You operate
- 21 Lewis Wrecking Service?
- A No, sir, I don't.
- Q Okay. Do you have mobile radios?
- 24 A Yes, I do. I have them in both my vehicles.
- Q Okay. So you have two mobile radios? Is that

- 1 correct?
- 2 A Yes, it is.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Let me ask you. In about
- 4 November, 1997, did you operate Lewis Wrecking Service?
- 5 THE WITNESS: Well, I've hauled cars, but I don't
- 6 have a wrecker or anything like that.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Okay.
- 8 THE WITNESS: I've got a trailer.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Did you ever have a company --
- 10 THE WITNESS: No. sir.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Did you ever work for a company
- or own a company called Lewis Wrecking Service?
- 13 THE WITNESS: No, sir.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: And when you hauled stuff
- 15 around --
- 16 THE WITNESS: No, sir.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: -- did you call yourself Lewis
- 18 Wrecking Service?
- 19 THE WITNESS: No, sir.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Do you know where the name Lewis
- 21 Wrecking Service came from?
- 22 THE WITNESS: I believe it come from this
- 23 document.
- 24 BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- Q Do you know why you have this license?

- 1 A Well, the reason that I got this license is my
- 2 brother-in-law asked me to sign for the license.
- 3 O By your brother-in-law, do you mean Ronald
- 4 Brasher?
- 5 A Ronald Brasher.
- 6 Q Okay. Did he tell you why he was asking you to
- 7 sign for the license?
- 8 A That he needed them is all I know.
- 9 Q Okay. So it was not for your wrecking service,
- 10 but instead for some DLB purpose?
- MR. ROMNEY: Objection. Leading, Your Honor.
- MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: I'll rephrase.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Okay.
- 14 BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 15 O Can you tell me the purpose for which this license
- 16 was used? What company was using this license?
- MR. ROMNEY: I'm sorry, Your Honor. Objection.
- 18 Compound question. He changed questions in midstream.
- MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Okay. I'll correct it.
- BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 21 Q What company was using this license?
- 22 A As far as I know, Metroplex Two Way Radio.
- 23 Q Okay. And do you see just below the address there
- is a thing that says MO-30 authorizing 30 mobiles on this
- 25 license?

- 1 MR. ROMNEY: Objection, Your Honor. Leading.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Why don't you ask if the witness
- 3 knows what --
- 4 MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Okay.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: What page are you on, please?
- 6 MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: The second page of the
- 7 exhibit under FrequenCIES. It says 900.1375, MO-30.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Okay. Let Mr. Lewis get to
- 9 that.
- Do you see where it says that, Mr. Lewis?
- 11 THE WITNESS: It's on the second page?
- 12 JUDGE STEINBERG: The second page, 900.13750.
- MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Under the comment --
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Why don't you help the witness?
- MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Right here.
- 16 JUDGE STEINBERG: Where it says MO.
- 17 THE WITNESS: Okay.
- 18 BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 19 Q Do you recognize what that means?
- A As far as I would say, it would be 30 radios.
- Q Okay. Do you have any purpose to have 30 radios?
- 22 A No, sir, I don't.
- Q Okay. Have you ever had 30 radios?
- A No, sir, I haven't.
- Q Okay. What is the most you have ever had?

- 1 A Two.
- Q Okay. Going back to the first page of the
- 3 exhibit, is that your signature on that page?
- 4 A I believe so.
- O Okay. On the third page of the exhibit it is
- 6 entitled Application for Renewal of Present Radio License.
- 7 Is the signature at the bottom of the page yours?
- 8 A Yes.
- 9 Q And the date? Is there a date?
- 10 A As far as I know it is.
- 11 Q Okay. And the fourth page of the exhibit? Is
- 12 that check signed by you?
- 13 A Yes, it is.
- 14 Q On your personal account?
- 15 A Yes, it is.
- 16 Q Okay. Did you pay that fee to the FCC?
- 17 A Well, Ronald gave me the money, and he told me
- 18 since the license was in my name it should be coming from my
- 19 address.
- 20 Q Okay.
- 21 A So I signed a check, and he give me the money.
- Q Okay. And this is a renewal of the license? Is
- 23 that correct?
- 24 A Right.
- 25 Q When you first got the license, did you --

- 1 JUDGE STEINBERG: While we are on the money, what
- 2 did he give you?
- THE WITNESS: He give me five \$20s and a \$10.
- 4 JUDGE STEINBERG: Five \$20 bills --
- 5 THE WITNESS: Right.
- 6 JUDGE STEINBERG: -- and a \$10?
- 7 THE WITNESS: And a \$10.
- 8 JUDGE STEINBERG: Do you remember if they were the
- 9 new \$20s with the big picture or the old \$20s with the
- 10 little picture?
- 11 THE WITNESS: No.
- 12 BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 13 Q Okay. When you first applied for this license,
- 14 did you pay the fee the same way?
- 15 A No, I don't believe I did.
- 16 Q Okay. How was it paid?
- 17 A I believe Metroplex paid it.
- 18 Q Okay. Who prepared the application?
- 19 A I believe Ron did.
- MR. ROMNEY: Objection, Your Honor. Which
- 21 application?
- MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Okay. The renewal
- 23 application.
- 24 THE WITNESS: I believe Ronald did.
- 25 //

- 1 BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- Q Okay. How did you come to believe that Ronald
- 3 did?
- A Well, he's the one that handed it to me to get it
- 5 signed.
- 6 Q Okay. Who prepared your first application?
- 7 A I believe Patsy and Ronald. I used to pick up my
- 8 vehicle at Ronald's and Pat's at that time because I was on
- 9 a night shift, and then Ronald used the same vehicle.
- 10 Q Okay.
- 11 A So I picked it up at his house, and we signed the
- 12 papers there.
- 13 Q Okay. Let me see if I understand that. You just
- 14 think Ronald prepared it because he's the one who presented
- 15 it to you?
- 16 A Right.
- 17 Q Okay. Did you understand when you applied for
- 18 this license that you were asking to operate 30 mobile
- 19 units?
- 20 A No, I wasn't.
- 21 Q Okay. Did you read the license application?
- 22 A No, I didn't. I just -- he said sign this. I
- 23 signed it.
- Q Okay. Did you discuss this application with
- anybody else at DLB?

- 1 A I discussed it with my sister after I signed it.
- Q Okay. Did you discuss it with anybody else?
- 3 A No, I haven't.
- 4 Q Okay. Which sister did you discuss it with?
- 5 A Carolyn Lutz.
- 6 Q Okay. Did you talk to her at or about the time
- 7 you signed it?
- 8 A It was about the same time. After. It was after
- 9 I signed it.
- 10 Q Okay. Okay.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Did you want to ask what they
- 12 discussed now that you found out that there was a
- 13 discussion? It's up to you.
- MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Carolyn Lutz was --
- JUDGE STEINBERG: No. I don't want you to tell
- 16 me.
- 17 MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Okay.
- 18 JUDGE STEINBERG: I don't want you to tell the
- 19 witness what Carolyn Lutz told you.
- MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Okay.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: It's up to yo. Whatever you
- 22 want to do.
- BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- Q What did you discuss with Carolyn Lutz?
- MR. ROMNEY: Objection, Your Honor. Hearsay.

- 1 MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: No. This is what he
- 2 discussed. He was a party to it.
- MR. ROMNEY: What he discussed with Carolyn Lutz
- 4 is hearsay.
- 5 MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: No, it's not.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: How is it hearsay? He's
- 7 testifying that --
- 8 MR. ROMNEY: What Carolyn Lutz tells him is
- 9 hearsay.
- 10 MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: What Carolyn Lutz told him -
- 11 -
- MR. ROMNEY: Yes. If you're talking about the
- discussion it's I said, she said, I said, she said. That's
- 14 hearsay.
- MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: I think it comes in.
- 16 JUDGE STEINBERG: Overruled.
- 17 BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 18 Q What did you discuss with Carolyn Lutz?
- 19 A She was just telling me that she was --
- 20 MR. ROMNEY: Objection, Your Honor. That answer
- 21 that he started to give right now is hearsay.
- 22 JUDGE STEINBERG: I'll overrule it. It might
- 23 affect the weight that I give it, but it's not going to
- 24 affect the fact that the answer is going to be given. You
- 25 can ask Carolyn Lutz about the discussion.

- 1 What did you tell Carolyn Lutz? Why don't we
- 2 leave it at what did you tell Carolyn Lutz?
- 3 THE WITNESS: What I told Carolyn Lutz is I told
- 4 her I'd signed a license for Ronald, and she says I wouldn't
- 5 have done that because it's against the law. I said well, I
- 6 asked them that, and they said that everybody does it.
- 7 MR. ROMNEY: Move to strike, Your Honor. Hearsay
- JUDGE STEINBERG: I'll deny that.
- 9 BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 10 Q Did you have any similar conversation when you
- originally applied for this license, or only at the renewal?
- MR. ROMNEY: Objection, Your Honor. Eliciting
- 13 hearsay.
- 14 JUDGE STEINBERG: The same ruling. I don't really
- 15 understand the question because what I -- maybe I'm confused
- 16 because I understood that this conversation that you just
- 17 elicited testimony about referred to the original signing of
- 18 the application.
- The second question is you're asking about
- discussions of the renewal application, and you haven't
- 21 established that there were.
- 22 MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: That's exactly where I went.
- 23 The time frame of this discussion was after the -- I think
- 24 the problem is my question --
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Instead of telling him where it

- 1 is, ask him.
- BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 3 Q My question related to this renewal application.
- 4 Did you understand my question to relate to this renewal
- 5 application?
- 6 A Would you repeat it?
- 7 Q Okay. The question of the discussion with anybody
- 8 at DLB related to the time frame August, 2000, this renewal
- 9 application. Is that the way you understood it?
- 10 A Is this the new one or this one, the first one?
- 11 JUDGE STEINBERG: Wait a minute. Let me ask him.
- 12 Are you confused? I am.
- 13 THE WITNESS: I am.
- BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 15 Q Okay. When did the discussion that you just
- 16 described with Carolyn Lutz occur?
- 17 A The first signing of the license? Is that what
- 18 we're talking about?
- 19 O No. I want to know when the discussion where she
- 20 said I wouldn't have done that and you said --
- 21 A Oh. I believe I talked to her over the telephone
- 22 because at that time we was working different hours. I
- worked at night, and she worked during the day.
- Q Okay. So that was at or about the time --
- JUDGE STEINBERG: We still don't know the time

1	period.	
2		BY MR. KNOWL
3	Q	It was at or
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6		MR. ROMNEY:
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- ES-KELLETT:
- about the time of --
- I don't know.
- ore than two years ago?
- Objection, Your Honor. Leading.
- ERG: Sustained.
- 8 Let me see if I can. You signed two things,
- 9 correct?
- 1.0 THE WITNESS: Right.
- 1.1 JUDGE STEINBERG: You signed the original
- 12 application?
- 13 THE WITNESS: Right.
- 14 JUDGE STEINBERG: And that was whatever the date
- You picked up the application at Ron and Pat's 15 it was.
- 16 house.
- 17 THE WITNESS: Right.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: You thought -- well, forget 18
- about what you thought. Did you have a conversation with 19
- 20 Carolyn Lutz at or about the time that you picked up the
- 21 application and signed the application about the
- 22 application?
- MR. ROMNEY: Objection, Your Honor. I don't 2.3
- 24 understand what time frame we're talking about.
- 25 JUDGE STEINBERG: Well, I explained it. I said at

- about the time he picked up the original application from
- 2 Ron and Pat's house that he testified about.
- 3 MR. ROMNEY: As far as I understand the witness'
- 4 testimony to this point, he's only talked about this renewal
- 5 application, which is Exhibit 65 before the Court. There
- 6 has never been any testimony adduced, as far as I'm aware,
- 7 regarding any original application or the timing thereof.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Okay.
- 9 MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Yes, there has, Your Honor.
- 10 JUDGE STEINBERG: I believe there has, and I
- 11 believe we talked about the renewal application.
- The testimony was, and if I'm wrong you tell me
- because I don't want you to -- you know, don't be scared to
- 14 tell me I'm wrong because they're not scared. There's no
- 15 reason for you to be.
- 16 THE WITNESS: Right.
- 17 JUDGE STEINBERG: There was a renewal application,
- and the renewal application is on page 3 of Exhibit 50.
- 19 Flip back one page.
- THE WITNESS: This is the renewal.
- 21 JUDGE STEINBERG: And you said that this was
- 22 prepared by Ron?
- 23 THE WITNESS: Well, I picked this up at Ron's
- office. I came in one morning early, and he called me in
- 25 his office and told me to sign this. He give me the money

- and wanted me to write a check so it would be in my name at
- 2 my address in east Texas.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Okay.
- 4 THE WITNESS: Is this one I was supposed to be
- 5 discussing this with Carolyn Lutz? We discussed it both
- 6 times.
- 7 JUDGE STEINBERG: This meaning the renewal
- 8 application, page 3?
- 9 THE WITNESS: Right.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Okay. Now, this was the renewal
- application, so there was an original application for a
- license, and that had to be maybe years before the renewal
- 13 application?
- 14 THE WITNESS: Right. It was right after I went to
- 15 work at Metroplex. I think it's what, four years on the
- 16 license? Something like that.
- 17 JUDGE STEINBERG: I don't know.
- THE WITNESS: A four year term, and then you have
- 19 to renew.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: I have no idea. If you look at
- 21 page 2, do you see the date at the top on the right, License
- 22 Issue Date?
- 23 THE WITNESS: Right. 11-28-97.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Was that about the time you
- 25 started working for Metroplex?

- THE WITNESS: I believe I started in 1995. The
- 2 first of 1995.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Okay. This I believe was the
- 4 original license.
- 5 MR. ROMNEY: Objection, Your Honor.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Was this the original license?
- 7 THE WITNESS: No. No. 2 don't show no signature.
- MR. ROMNEY: We don't believe that it is. I mean,
- 9 that's my point.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Okay. I didn't know. There is
- 11 one before this?
- MR. PEDIGO: Yes, Your Honor.
- MR. ROMNEY: Yes, sir.
- 14 THE WITNESS: Page 1, I believe.
- 15 MR. PEDIGO: 11-28-97. That's the top of page 2.
- 16 That's the original license.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: That's the one that I just
- 18 pointed to.
- 19 MR. HIGGS: This is a reissue of the original
- 20 license, which had a previous three year license term with
- 21 it.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Okay. Let me go back because
- 23 this is what I was referring to when I thought the witness
- 24 was talking or somebody was talking about the original
- license. This is what I thought that everybody was

- 1 referring to.
- Okay. Why don't I turn it back to Mr. Kellett,
- 3 and you can straighten us out, I hope.
- 4 MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Okay.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: And then all the testimony about
- 6 the discussions with Ms. Lutz I think will be stricken
- 7 because I think the witness was confused. I certainly was
- 8 confused.
- 9 You're going to have to go back. Why don't you go
- 10 back and start from the first license and work your way up?
- MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Okay.
- 12 BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 13 Q When do you recall signing the first license?
- 14 A I signed the first license at --
- 15 JUDGE STEINBERG: The application.
- MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: The application for license.
- 17 THE WITNESS: The application. At Patsy's house
- in Sunnyvale --
- MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Okay.
- THE WITNESS: -- with Ron's presence.
- BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- Q What year do you think that was?
- 23 A It appears it had to be 1997 sometime.
- 24 Q Maybe you can find it.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Don't tell the witness what he

- 1 can and can't do. Get the best of his memory.
- 2 MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Okay.
- 3 BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 4 Q It would like the best of your memory.
- 5 A Well, it could have been earlier than that because
- 6 he might not have turned them in at that time.
- 7 Q Okay.
- 8 A I don't know.
- 9 Q Okay. When did you sign the renewal application?
- 10 A Five or six months ago. Seven months ago.
- 11 Something like that.
- 12 Q Okay. If you would look at page 3? Does that
- refresh your recollection?
- 14 A 8-11-00.
- Q And if you look at page 4 on the check you wrote?
- 16 A That was 8-11. That's the same one.
- 17 Q Okay. So when you signed the --
- 18 A Right.
- 19 Q Okay. Did you want to sign this renewal
- 20 application?
- MR. ROMNEY: Objection.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: How is that objectionable? Did
- 23 you want to sign it?
- MR. ROMNEY: It's leading.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: I don't think so. I mean, I

- 1 don't know how relevant it is.
- 2 MR. ROMNEY: I withdraw my objection. I'm sorry.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Okay.
- 4 THE WITNESS: Should I answer the question?
- 5 BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 6 Q How did you feel about --
- 7 A I didn't want to sign it.
- 8 O Okay. Why didn't you want to sign it?
- 9 A Because I knew they was already having trouble
- 10 over their T-band system over licenses that was signed, and
- 11 Sue was informing me not to sign them.
- I went to David about this and told David I wanted
- 13 them out of my name. I didn't want to sign them. He said
- 14 well, go ahead and sign them, and I'll get them out of your
- 15 name in six months.
- 16 O Okay. And by David do you mean David Brasher?
- 17 A David Brasher.
- 18 Q Okay. So at that time did you then go to Ronald's
- 19 office?
- 20 A Well, Ronald called me up the next morning and had
- 21 me to sign the papers.
- 22 Q Okay.
- 23 A I don't know if David knew about this or not. I
- 24 don't know.
- 25 Q So was it the next day?

- 1 A It was a day or two.
- 2 Q Okay.
- 3 A It was the following day or a day or two after
- 4 until he got the paperwork ready. I don't know.
- 5 Q Okay.
- 6 A I'm not sure.
- 7 Q Was that the day of the discussion we have
- 8 previously said? Ronald gave you the forms and everything?
- 9 A Right.
- 10 JUDGE STEINBERG: Wait a minute. Wait a minute.
- MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT: Okay. Do you want me to go
- 12 back through?
- JUDGE STEINBERG: No. You signed the application,
- 14 the renewal application, page 3, and --
- THE WITNESS: Wrote a check.
- 16 JUDGE STEINBERG: And you wrote a check. Then
- after that you got the five \$20s and the \$10?
- 18 THE WITNESS: He gave it to me as soon as I signed
- 19 the check. He handed it to me.
- JUDGE STEINBERG: Okay.
- BY MR. KNOWLES-KELLETT:
- 22 Q When you talked to David about this application,
- 23 did he tell you anything other than he would get it out of
- 24 your name?
- MR. ROMNEY: Objection. Hearsay.